Table 6.79

Hispanic and female prisoners under sentence of death

By State, 1996 and 1997

	Under sentence of death on Dec. 31, 1996 ^a		Received under sentence of death		Death sentence removed ^b		Under sentence of death on Dec. 31, 1997	
	Hispanics	Females	Hispanics	Females	Hispanics	Females	Hispanics	Females
United States, total	264	47	26	2	2	5	283	44
Alabama	0	4	0	0	0	1	0	3
Arizona	18	1	0	0	0	0	18	1
Arkansas	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
California	68	8	11	0	0	0	79	8
Colorado	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Florida	40	6	2	0	0	0	41	6
Georgia	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
daho	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Illinois	8	4	1	0	2	2	7	2
Indiana	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Louisiana	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Mississippi	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1
Missouri	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1
Nevada	8	1	0	0	0	0	8	1
New Jersey	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
New Mexico	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
North Carolina	3	3	0	0	0	0	3	3
Ohio	5	0	0	0	0	0	5	0
Oklahoma	6	4	1	0	0	1	7	3
Oregon	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0
Pennsylvania	13	4	0	0	0	0	13	4
Tennessee	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	2
Texas	80	6	10	1	0	0	88	7
Utah	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Virginia	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0

Note: See Notes, tables 6.77 and 6.78.

^aThe count of females under sentence of death at yearend 1996 has been revised by the Source; one inmate in Mississippi was erroneously reported as a female in a previous report.
^bNo women were executed in 1997. Five Hispanic men (two in Texas, and one each in Arkansas, Florida, and Virginia) were executed in 1997.

Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Statistics, *Capital Punishment 1997*, Bulletin NCJ-172881 (Washington, DC: U.S. Department of Justice, December 1998), p. 7.